

## State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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Brent Cox Cox Transport, Inc. 50 East 100 North Manti, Utah 84642

Subject: Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Cox Transport,

Inc., Quarry, S/023/096, Task ID#1804, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Cox:

The amendment to the Notice of Intent to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI), received by the Division on 12/05/2007, is incomplete.

The original plan was submitted on April 25, 2007, 4 acres were identified. Then on August 8, 2007, another plan was received to mine only 2 acres. Then, while completing the plan with the BLM, it was discovered that the mineral was not a claimable mineral and that the area had been withdrawn by the BLM. On December 5, 2007 we received a plan just to haul off the stock pile on site. In this submittal, you sent in multiple maps, a new page 5 and some text. The notice is confusing with many submissions and maps without scale, legal description (township, range and section shown on the map), etc. Please replace or modify all the maps you sent to include these necessary items identifying only the area you are going to disturb including the corresponding text. Please be aware, the maps in the August 8th submittal show the stockpile at 1.25 acres. This acreage does not correspond with your subsequent 1 acre in your most recent submittal please correct this deficiency. The Division needs a map that shows exact acreage footprint, township, range, and section, north arrow and scale. Google maps are nice but they do not provide the information needed.

At this point in time, I am going to ask you to resubmit maps that are meaningful to the Division, so we can verify acreage and include the exact acreage footprint, township, range, and section, north arrow and appropriate scale and legend on the map.

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In reply, <u>please refer to file number S/023/096</u>. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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